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Minnie Vinnies gets to work

St. Mary of the Angels Primary School run a Mini Vinnies group which is a community of people who work together to reach out to the poor and suffering throughout the world.

Early this term they had an executive meeting where roles were assigned and this was followed with a commissioning mass.

This year the students are reaching out to the children within their own school that might be feeling lonely or want to meet/make new friends.

Each fortnight they will hold an activity that invites any one that wants to come and participate in this.



Back l to r: Father Stephen O'Shea, Brooke Newberry, Lucy Campbell, Courtney Spradbrow, Olivia Wilson, Bella Kennedy. **Front:** Tom Lockyer, Emily Jackson, Reegan Jackson, Trisha Varley, Shanae Wark, Anna Grills, Jessica Taylor and Mr Michael O'Kane (Youth Co-Ordinator St Vincent de Paul).

Feature Female, Breeder & Weaner Store Sale

Auction this Friday

RayWhite.

2,500 head

**Friday, 23 March
1pm start**

**Armidale Livestock
Selling Centre**

Preweighed, C/KG live weight sale

A/c Abington Station (EU)

400 EU - NSM - PTE 18-19 month Angus Heifers

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What's **HOT**

CELEBRATING your 80th birthday

AUTUMN COLOURS starting to put in appearance

GOLF CARNIVAL -this weekend three big days of golf

TEN PIN BOWLING trip for local youth - book your place by calling The Hub

GUYRA LIONS -working with the young and old in our community

FRIDAY NIGHT FOOTY - show your support for the Spuds in their first outing this week

Submit your Hots and Nots by phone 6779 2132 email news@gala.org.au or drop in to the GALA centre

Weather WATCH

Guyra Hospital

Date	Day	Min	Max	Rain
13	Tues	8.7	22.4	0
14	Wed	10.4	21.8	0
15	Thurs	7.9	24.5	0
16	Fri	12.5	26.2	0
17	Sat	13.5	26.8	0
18	Sun	14.5	27.1	0
19	Mon	14.9	29.0	0

Rain this week	0mm
March rainfall	10.4mm
Rainfall YTD	157.6mm
Rainfall last YTD	424.7mm

Water treatment plant

Rainfall Registrations to 9am Monday, March 18th
Rainfall 0mm (147mm YTD)
Top Dam 220mm below spillway
Bott. Dam 350mm below spillway
Daily average town consumption (target 650 kl)1897kl

Water Restrictions
Voluntary Community restraint

Seniors' enjoy mystery outing



On Sunday March 18th the Guyra Lions Club hosted their annual Seniors' mystery outing. Forty two seniors and four Lions members and their Lions ladies left Guyra and ventured north to Ben Lomond for a delightful morning tea of scones (three varieties) jam and cream.

The morning tea was supplied by members of the Catholic community of Ben Lomond. It is a pleasure to see country churches being used and in good order. Beth White gave a brief history of the Catholic Church and cemetery.

The tour then moved on, travelling up the Maybole road and Kelly's road where they were able to view the wind turbines that are part of the Whiterock Wind Farm. The size and weight of the turbines astounded some of the seniors.

Then it was on to Glen Innes where lunch

was supplied by the Lioness Club of Glen Innes at Lions Park. After a delightful lunch and talk between the members and visitors they packed up and went to the historical museum of the Land of the Beardies. From there it was time to hit the road home.

By all accounts everyone had a pleasant outing and enjoyed the trip. The Lions Club thanks all who participated in the day, our caterers and a special thanks to the Vanderwolf family for allowing us the use of their buses and to Glen and Darrell for doing an excellent job of driving us to our destinations. A special thanks to all the seniors for their participation on this outing.

*Jim Betts
Guyra Lions*

Guyra Home Support Services Invites Seniors and interested others to the

Guyra Seniors

Aussie Extravaganza

DATE: Monday 9th April 2018
TIME: 10:00am to 2:00pm
VENUE: Guyra Community Hall (Dutton Parade Guyra)
COST: \$10.00 per person includes morning tea, lunch and entertainment
RSVP: **26 March 2018** (Pre Purchase of tickets required) ph 67707127

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Doors re-open for Fortune Chinese

The Fortune Chinese Restaurant will reopen this week under new management.

Kitty Li and Gary Lightfoot will operate the restaurant, with previous owners Jackie and Stephen Heung retiring due to ill health.

Kitty and Gary come to Guyra with lots of experience in similar venues, most recently in Glen Innes where they have run the Dragon Court restaurant since 2012. Kitty said that she is excited to launch this new venture which will offer something a little bit different for the community.

"We hope to fill a gap in the food available in town and also stay open a little bit later to cater for those wanting to eat when everything else is closed," Kitty said.

"I will keep the menu simple and I will be doing the dishes that have proved popular in Glen Innes such as mongolian and satay sauces and my

crispy honey chicken. I also hope to change the menu on a regular basis so it really depends on what the customers want."

Kitty and Gary have spent the last few weeks cleaning and painting in preparation for their opening. They will continue to trade as Fortune Chinese Restaurant because the name and phone number are well known.

They would also like to thank Sue Ross who has helped in getting established and assisted with the cleaning and painting in preparation for the opening this week.

The doors will open on Thursday for dine in or take-away, with trading hours beginning at 11.30 am daily and they will stay open until 8.30pm or later depending on demand.

You can phone ahead on 6779 2011 or call in to 97 Bradley Street to place your orders.



New owners Gary Lightfoot and Kitty Li

\$4.57 million to build community and sporting facilities

The State Government has made available a massive funding allocation for the Armidale and Guyra region, with \$4,577,278 now available to build important community facilities, sporting infrastructure and public amenities.

Member for Northern Tablelands Adam Marshall last week announced the allocation,

provided under Round Two of the NSW Stronger Country Communities Fund. He is encouraging local community groups and sporting organisations to get their project applications ready, to take most advantage of this opportunity.

Mr Marshall encouraged community groups across the

Armidale Region LGA to consider what was needed in their local area.

"Applications are now open and close on Friday, 4 May, so there's no time to delay considering your major project," Mr Marshall said.

"As each region has funding locked in, projects in Armidale and Guyra don't need to com-

pete with the larger centres to get approved. These projects will be designed for the local community, driven by its needs and managed by the local council."

Further details can be found at www.nsw.gov.au/stronger-countrycommunities.

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More than legal advice

The North & North West Community Legal Service (NNWCLS) has successfully commenced its Legal Advice and Assistance Clinic in Guyra. The Guyra community has embraced the Service and appointments are booked out at almost every Clinic. **THANK YOU GUYRA!**

Our Principal Solicitor, Miss Terri King has been delighted with the Guyra Community's response to our Service and she urges anyone who may have a legal question to make an appointment to see her when she's next in Guyra. Our clinic at The Hub in Guyra is on the first Friday of every month. And yes, our appointments are **FREE** of charge.

While our Service offers free legal assistance to everyone in the north and north west region of NSW we also offer education to our community. We are not only passionate about one-on-one legal assistance but we are passionate about educating the community on their legal rights and responsibilities.

Our Service has three Solicitors who have recently travelled to Tenterfield, Werris Creek, Boggabri, Walcha and Tamworth offering Seniors' Groups education on Wills, Power of Attorney and Enduring Guardianship. We've spoken to the Armidale & District National Servicemen's Association and to the Nurses & Midwives Association in Tamworth on Advance Care Directives.

We also speak to business owners and



North and North West Community Legal Service - Legal Team
Elliot Lloyd, Terri King and Stanley Ta

their staff about how best to deal with disclosures of domestic violence from their customers. In some industries this is a common scenario and this can be a very confronting situation for staff. Understanding how appropriately to help their customer, knowing what networks are available, can make all the difference for their client when they may be feeling trapped and alone.

Terri, along with speakers from other organisations, recently spoke at a presentation of this nature - "We Care Be DV Aware" - and surveys collected afterwards indicated that 100% of business owners and their staff felt they were better equipped to assist customers should

a disclosure of domestic violence occur.

We also speak to Refugee Groups, Indigenous Groups, and Men's Shed Groups and have presentations at the University of New England, all in an effort to inform and educate our community of legal rights and issues.

If your community group or organisation would like one of our Solicitors to speak on any legal topic that falls within our problem type, please do not hesitate to contact our office. Our telephone number is 1800 687 687. Terri, Stanley or Elliot would be eager to assist.

We're not just about legal advice and assistance, we're about education too!

Guyra Sheep & Lamb Sale Market Report

March 14th - 3600 lambs and 3090 were yarded in Guyra last week.

There was a reduced penning of lambs with store lambs again plentiful. Well finished trade and heavy weights were in limited supply, while there was only a handful of extra heavy weights. Sheep numbers increased with a large percentage of plainer condition light weight Merino ewes penned.

The usual buyers were in attendance, however restocker demand was weaker. The reduced restocker demand resulted in cheaper trends with the best and the plainest up to \$10/head cheaper.

The middle run of store lambs were the least affected. Well finished trade weight lambs saw little but quality related price change. The heavy weight lambs were mostly firm, while the extra heavy weights sold to a dearer

trend with quality and weight increased.

A strong restocker order under pinned the plain condition Merino ewe market, albeit at slightly cheaper prices on average. Sheep bought by processors sold on a firm to dearer market, although the increased supply brought about some quality related price change. The best price increases were reserved for the well finished heavy weights.

Lambs

Lgt	\$70 to \$117
Trade	\$120 to \$146
Hvy	\$137 to \$160
Ex Hvy	\$187 to \$200

Sheep

Res. Mer Ewes	\$39 to \$108
Md Mer Ewes	\$ 86 to \$128
Hvy Xbred ewes	\$115 to \$154
Mer Wethers	\$108 to \$135

Weekly Wool Market Report



March 16th - Further losses were recorded by the wool market this week over both selling days. All sectors gave up ground with a fairly uniform fall across the Merino spectrum. Once again it was wool showing imperfections that suffered the heaviest falls as buyers became more selective in their purchases.

The Northern Region Indicator closed the week around 4.5% below its February high point with most types giving up their post-Christmas gains. 38,823 bales were sold nationally for the week with a passed in rate of 9%. Major buyers included Seatech, Lempriere and PJ Morris.

Considering the fall over the past two weeks passed in rates

could have been substantially higher, however with the Merino types still inside the top 1% of prices received over the past 20 years there was a general willingness to meet the market.

Next week's sale will see the expected national offering fall below 40,000 bales which is substantially down of the corresponding sale last season. Forward market activity was entirely focused on short dated contracts with 19 and 21 micron's changing hands for June delivery at around 80 and 100 cents under the physical.

Greg Andrews

Schute Bell Wool



Banks means branches

The community protects the banks and the banks should protect the community.

As the banking royal commission begins, we have a wave of banking closures across the New England and the nation.

We must ask, what is the mutual obligation of the banks to a nation that protects their position under the current regulatory framework? Surely a section of this quid pro quo should be a community service obligation to keep branches open in small regional towns.

In May, the NAB will close its doors at Bingara and the Commonwealth Bank will close in Guyra. This follows the ANZ closing branches at Glen Innes, and NAB restricting hours in Uralla and Guyra - and no doubt this is replicated across other parts of the nation.

The banks will say their transaction level at these branches has gone down however the community service obligation remains. I would strongly suspect the amount of money let out in the district to farmers and businesses would have gone up.

So if you believe it is only right and proper to lend to farmers and businesses in the district, then it is only right and proper you keep the branches that service the district open. Otherwise, a bank could make an awful lot of money by

keeping one branch open in Sydney with the rest of the services delivered from a call centre in the Philippines

Barnaby Joyce
Member for New England

Excited to ride the trail

As one who was New England born I nevertheless unfortunately missed my opportunity to travel along the rail line north of Armidale while it was still in operation. I'm therefore extremely excited by the prospect offered by the proposed rail trail north of Armidale. I know I'm not the only one who would really enjoy the opportunity of visiting my hometown of Armidale and head north up the proposed rail trail. Friends of mine here in Sydney have recently moved to Victoria and by good fortune have a rail trail at the rear of their new home. They love the movement and sounds that the rail trail provides in their semi-rural environment. My wife and I look forward to visiting them, not the least because we're keen to experience the rail trail that is there! I can say without a shadow of a doubt we would relish the opportunity to ride the proposed Great Northern Rail Trail, to see and experience the beautiful New England countryside and its assorted towns and villages.

R.A.D Mackenzie

Ten pin bowling night for youth

Guyra Youth at the Hub is taking the Youth Ten Pin Bowling on Thursday March 29th - the night before Good Friday.

The evening will consist of ten pin bowling from arrival until around 7pm. Then pizzas and chips for dinner and a bus trip home by 8.30pm at the latest.

The activity (including the pizzas and chips) is free, with a charge \$1 per head for the bus - this covers insurance. There is only space on the bus for 18 kids, so at this stage they will only be taking the first 18 people to get their permission form signed and returned to Alecia at The Hub.

Please call Alecia on 0481193554 by Friday evening to confirm your space on the bus.

CLEARING SALE - SUNDAY 25th MARCH, 2018

"Girrakool" - 167 Lyndhurst Road
(35mins from Armidale along the Rockvale Road)
Start Time: 11.00am

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Landini 105hp 4WD Tractor approx. 1850hrs with Forks, 4in1 bucket & GP bucket, Hydraulic post hole digger, Side by side Cub Cadet diesel 4x4 Buggy, Yamaha TTR 230 Motor Bike, Honday CRF150R Motor Bike, 9hp Quik Spray unit with 9hp Honda motor & 100mtr hose, Disk Plough, Wool Press, Poly rain water tank, Cattle scales, 2 x Calf cradles, Cattle grid/ramp, Farm gates, Cattle & Horse hay & grain feeders, Bath tub/cattle troughs, Honda Fire Fighter Pump, 2 x Ute Backs, Genuine Toyota 200 series bullbar & side steps, Driving lights, Heavy duty trailer jack, Old trailer, Generator, Gerni, Boat winch, Chook pen/cage, Fencing materials incl. wire, steel posts old & new, Electric fence gear, Lengths of steel, Split timber posts, Sawn timber, Pallets, Poly pipe & fittings, 13-1/2 inch Peel Gainey fender saddle, Saddle cloths, Rugs & saddlery items, Horse shoes, Chimney flues, Split firewood, Oil tank, Antique wool table, Antique sideboard, Vintage dressers, Claw foot bath, Furniture & household items, Leather lounge suite, Toys, Kids Playground equipment, Upright freezer, 2 x Small kayaks, plus much more.

Payment strictly on day of sale - Cash or Approved Cheques Only
Outside entries accepted, contact Agent prior to 22nd March

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CONTACT:
Blake O'Reilly
0448 213 668

Pride of Workmanship Awards

The Guyra Chamber of Commerce has combined with the Rotary Club of Guyra, to celebrate business and recognise outstanding employee's in the Guyra district with the Pride of Workmanship Awards Evening.

The Pride of Workmanship Awards celebrates business excellence in the Guyra Region by recognising and rewarding outstanding businesses and employees whose passion, determination, innovation and success inspire other businesses and business people.

Do you know a well deserving, humble business? Have you experienced outstanding quality customer service? The Pride of Workmanship Awards provide a fantastic insight into the amazing local businesses that drive the economy and adapt to the challenging

boundaries which shape Guyra's future. Nominations can be made in one or all of the following categories.

- Excellence in Small Business
- Excellence in Innovation
- Employer of Choice
- Excellence in Business (+20 Full Time Equivalent inc Contractors etc)
- Excellence in Sustainability

Please nominate your favourite business today so that a nomination pack can be sent to them. Nomination forms are available by emailing guyrarotary@gmail.com or Chamber@guyra.org.au.

All finalists and winners receive an official Business Awards FINALIST or WINNER logo which can be used on collateral, web-sites, business cards and signage.

Cricketers bow out



Guyra third grade cricketers

Back l to r: DJ Patterson, Wayne Smith, Peter Ahoy, Cody Patterson, Liam Northam, Simon Brown, Steve McElroy
Front: Dan Stace, Matt Smith, Craig Lockyer and Les Perrett

Guyra senior cricketers were defeated in both of their semi-finals played on the weekend.

The second grade side were up against TAS who batted first and finished with 8/198.

Best of the Guyra bowlers was Keiran Wicks who took 5 for 46.

Troy Martin opened the batting making 50 runs, with Jake Brazier (19) and Tom Smith (17) also batting well.

The team fell short in the

final run chase finishing on 162 and missing their chance for a grand final match.

Coming off a big score last week, third grade couldn't back up and were dismissed for just 79 runs by Easts (Any-time). Only DJ Patterson (19) and Simon Brown (17) made it to double figures.

Easts made short work of the run chase, losing only one wicket as they cruised to victory. Dan Stace was the wicket

taker.

The under 16s had a good win in their last outing for the year. They dismissed TAS for 116 with Billy Youman, Keiran Wicks, Garth Walls and Matt Smith each taking two wickets.

Guyra finished on 5 for 119 with Keiran Wicks (38) and Liam Northam (22) leading the run chase.

Meals on Wheels

- 21st March Michael Austin
- 22nd March Sue Adams
- 23rd March Stephen Adams
- 26th March NEM Staff
- 27th March Jeanette Jarvis
- 28th March Noreen Williams

Street Stalls

- 23rd March Hospital Aux.
- 29th March Ben Lomond CWA
- 6th April Masonic Lodge

Church Notices

St James Anglican

Sunday 9am Combined Service, 1st Sunday of the month Backwater 2pm, 3rd Sunday of the month Ben Lomond 11.30am

Rev Mark Evers 6779 1111

St Mary's Catholic

Saturday Mass 6pm in Guyra, Sunday 9am, 1st Sunday of month Ben Lomond, 3rd Sunday Wards Mistake, otherwise Guyra

St Columba's Presbyterian

Guyra Sunday 9.00am, Ben Lomond Service, first Sunday of even-numbered months, 2.00pm Rev Andrew Campbell, Acting Session Clerk: Jim Coleman 6733 2021

Uniting Church

Regular Sunday Service 9.30am Enq. Nancy Davidson 6779 1366

Seventh-day Adventist

Saturday from 10am Bible Study, 11am Divine Service.

Enquiries: 6779 1587

Northwest Church

66 Llangothlin St, Sunday meeting 10am, Thursday 7pm Food Pantry - Fridays 1-3pm. Tony Stace 0427956772.

Church of Freedom

10 Nincoola Street - Contact: 0421 847 973, Tuesday Prayer 6.30pm, Wed Bible Study 6.30pm Sunday Service 10am

Service Clubs

LIONS CLUB dinner meetings 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month at Guyra Bowling Club, 7pm. Ph: Peter King 0412 780 951

ROTARY CLUB dinner meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month at Rafters Restaurant, 6pm for 6.30pm. Ph: Aileen MacDonald 0417 079 307



Mayor's Message

What a glorious weekend we had in our region with the city of Armidale hosting the annual Autumn Festival celebrations. The weather was glorious, although a bit warm for this time of year. The heat didn't deter the enthusiasm of the community who came out in large numbers for the grand parade on Saturday afternoon and into the evening for markets, entertainment and show rides.

There was a lot to do over the weekend with other events tied into the Autumn Festival including the Quilt Show at Legacy House, the Campus to City Center, Breakfast with the Band, the Autumn Festival Criterium and the Motoring Extravaganza at the Racecourse.

A big thank you to all the Council staff who worked for many months behind the scenes to ensure we had a great event and to all the staff who participated on the day.

The Dumaresq Creeklands Master Plan consultation is in full swing with Council and the consultants hosting a site walk with representatives of the advisory group and public outreach activities over the weekend. Participation from

the community in the activities has been excellent and will help to shape the draft plan. There are still plenty of opportunities for the community to get involved. Visit yoursay.armidale.nsw.gov.au for more information and to complete an online survey. You can also book for a site walk with the consultants on Saturday 7 April. Email yoursay@armidale.nsw.gov.au or contact customer service on 1300 136 833.

The second round of consultation on the revised drawings for the Guyra Main Street Upgrade Project concluded last Friday. By all accounts the community is much happier with the revised plans. Council will now commence work on detailed drawings with work tentatively scheduled to commence in May. Council has invited art students from Guyra Central School to submit creative options for the development of public art in the main street. The submissions will be assessed by a panel and the winning entry/entries will be developed into public art works by an artist/s commissioned by Council.

Leader Environment and Sustainability, Kathy Martin, phone 6770 3632 or email kmartin@armidale.nsw.gov.au



or cgarrahy@armidale.nsw.gov.au

Tenders quoting the reference number ARC18/2568 and addressed to the Chief Executive Officer, will be received up until the closing time 2.30 pm Thursday, 12 April 2018.

The lowest offers or any tender may not necessarily be accepted.

Peter Dennis Chief Executive Officer
135 Rusden Street, Armidale
PO Box 75A Armidale 2350
1300 136 833
council@armidale.nsw.gov.au

Roads Act 1993 Naming of Roads

Notice is hereby given that Armidale Regional Council, in pursuance of section 162 of the Roads Act, 1993 has officially named the roads as shown hereunder:

Location: In the approved subdivision of 81 Translator Road Armidale, being Lots 63-64 DP 755808

Names: Lingerwood Place

Name to officially take effect from 14 March 2018

Authorized by resolution of Council on November 2008

P Dennis
Chief Executive Officer

COUNCIL MEETING

The next Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on Wednesday 28 March 2018 at the Guyra Council Chambers, 158 Bradley St, from 1pm. The public are welcome to attend.

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Guyra Home Support Services Invites Seniors and interested others to the:

Guyra Seniors Aussie Extravaganza

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Contact Guyra Home Support Services to book your ticket on 6770 7127

Guyra Home Support services is hosting its bi annual Senior's Entertainment Day on Monday 9th April 2018. This is the 34th Seniors Event, formerly known as the Guyra Seniors Ball). The last event in 2016 was attended by nearly 200 seniors and volunteers from around the New England district. Armidale Regional Council is

proudly sponsoring this year's event and with this valuable support we intend to make the day bigger and better than ever. We have selected more entertainment, more interaction, a subsidised ticket price of \$10.00 per person and we hope to attract even greater numbers to celebrate the day with us.

Guyra Pool

The Pool will close for the season on Thursday 29 March, 2018. PLEASE NOTE: If the weather is still warm it will open over the Easter break and close on Sunday 1 April, 2018.

LEP Commencement of Amendment No. 10 to Armidale Dumaresq LEP 2012

Amendment No. 10 to Armidale Dumaresq Local Environmental Plan (LEP) 2012 commenced on Friday, 16 March 2018, when it was published on the NSW Government's legislation website.

Amendment No. 10 zones Lots 661 and 662 DP 755808, Lot 1 DP 1129031 and Lot 2 DP 1213220 at 48-72 Kurrawatha Avenue, Armidale, to part R2 Low Density Residential and part E4 Environmental Living and alters the minimum lot size to 4,000m² for that part of the land zoned R2 Low Density Residential.

The amended Armidale Dumaresq LEP 2012 and its associated maps are available on council's website www.armidaleregional.nsw.gov.au

Enquiries may be directed to Acting Program

Leader Environment and Sustainability, Kathy Martin, phone 6770 3632 or email kmartin@armidale.nsw.gov.au

Tender Provision of Plant Hire Services Request for Tender ARC18/2568

Tenders are invited from appropriately qualified organisations for external plant hire to supplement internal resources to meet programmed construction and maintenance works. Council wishes to appoint a panel of contractors offering to hire these items of equipment to Council at a fixed price.

Full details are provided in the tender documents which will be available free of charge from the e-tendering portal at the website www.tenderlink.com/nesac or Council's website www.armidaleregional.nsw.gov.au from 20 March 2018.

Enquiries regarding this tender may be directed to Cindy Garrahy on 02 67703 805

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on Twitter 'ArmidaleRegional LGA' or '@ARC2350'.



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Gazette Footy Tipping



A few surprises and upsets in last week's matches - all you Eels supporters must be totally devastated. 54-0 thrashing by Manly, of all teams!

Vu picked all but one of the winners and leads the Celebrities on 24 points, but is closely followed by Beth on 22. DeJay slipped a bit and is holding his own in third place on 18 points.

Kerrie, Sue and Shona are all on 16, with last year's winner, Tegan, sharing the

Wooden Spoon position with Soley on 10.

Notwithstanding Vu's great score and not that we are counting, but the Girls vs. the Boys score stands at 80-76.

In the Locals, Moose Knuckle is leading on 22 points, followed by Jy Starr and Shelby Heagney on 18. Eel-be-Right has taken up the Wooden Spoon position on 8 points (what happened to the Eels?).

Third place is shared by 4 Locals on 16 following by 6 on 14 points.

Kerrie's Tips

- Cowboys
- Panthers
- Tigers
- Warriors
- Sea Eagles
- Eels
- Dragons
- Roosters



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Score: 16

Soley's Tips

- Cowboys
- Bulldogs
- Tigers
- Raiders
- Sea Eagles
- Eels
- Dragons
- Roosters



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Score: 10

Beth's Tips

- Storm
- Panthers
- Tigers
- Raiders
- Sea Eagles
- Sharks
- Dragons
- Roosters



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Score: 22

Jack's Tips

- Storm
- Panthers
- Broncos
- Raiders
- Sea Eagles
- Sharks
- Dragons
- Roosters



This week's specials:
Tooheys New
30pk Cans - \$50
Corona Stubbies - \$52
1TR Rum & Scotch - \$52



6779 1555

Score: 12

Sue's Tips

- Cowboys
- Panthers
- Broncos
- Warriors
- Rabbits
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Ladies' Golf

On Wednesday 14th March Joyce Betts won the Par Medal competition with an excellent +5 score. Runner up on -1 was Meg Simpson on a count back from Jenni Jackson. Several players travelled to Glen Innes to compete in the ladies' Open Day 4BBB competition. Karen Oehlers and Vicki Reeves were 3rd runners up.

We are looking forward to competing in the Top of The Range Golf Carnival at Guyra Golf Course this weekend on 23rd, 24th and 25th March.

On Wednesday 28th March a Classic 4BBB Par competition is set down on the program and Shona Mulligan is the starter.

The Phantom

Vets Golf

Twenty one vet golfers travelled to Walcha last Thursday to compete in the next round of Pennants. Although the day was very pleasant with only a bit of humidity, the sand greens did trouble some players, while others just took them in their stride.

Our top seven scores were

all 32 and above which gave us a total of 238 points only four behind the home team, Walcha with 242. Our best score was 36 from Jon Cumming closely followed by Doug Archibald, Jim Betts and Roger Grills, 35. Jenny Rogers shot 33 and Col Walls and Dave Bearup 32.

Other team scores were Armidale 213 and 140, Uralla 215 and Glen Innes 211

With this score it appears that unofficially we are still about 8 points in front, so it will need a good turnout at the last game in Armidale to clinch an overall win. If you haven't already put your name down to play in Armidale on the 27th please ring me on 67755735.

On Tuesday March 20 the winner was Col Walls with 39, with runner up Doug Archibald 38. Best putting went to Michael Jackson with 25 putts.

A Vet

Men's Bowls

There were three games of Club Championships played over the weekend. In Open Singles Andrew Sparke played Barry Presnell, from my ob-

servations this game was what it appeared on paper a very close encounter. Andrew was out of the starting gate with nothing other than victory on his mind and this proved to be the trend at least for most of the game. Barry on the other hand had the same idea and was not going to let Andrew have the fun. Barry managed to hold onto a slender lead most of the way with Andrew nipping at his heels. Andrew drew level after 27 ends but was unable to continue his run and Barry finally ran out winner 31 shots to 25 shots over 31 ends.

In Minor Singles, Peter Brodbeck played Jim Souter. Jim has been out of Bowls for a number of years but this did not stop him from stepping onto the green. Peter started with a four but in true style Jim held on and scored a single on the next end. Peter proved too good for Jim but he was happy to at least get to double figures. Peter was the victor in this game 31 shots to 11 shots over 22 ends.

In Handicap Singles, Roger Cox played Col Stanley. With Col giving a 9 shot start to Roger and with Roger winning the first three ends out of four the lead opened to 13 a gap. This did not deter Col as he set about clearing the deficit, this managed by end 23. From

then on the lead changed on several occasions. After 40 ends of bowls Col managed to run out the victor 31 shots to 26 shots. This was a great game to mark.

There are no Club Championships set down for this weekend as Pennants will be played both days at Armidale City. Players that think they might be involved in Pennants are advised to either ring the Club or check the notice board themselves.

There are two games of Bowls listed on the notice board:


Bellaine Merino's have sponsored a Major/Minor 3 Bowl Pairs.

April 14th and 15th. 2 games 15 ends Saturday March, 14th. 12.30 start. 3 games 15 ends Sunday 15th. Start 9.30am. Winner decided by wins/ends. 1st 2nd 3rd prizes. In addition one lucky bowler will win free bowls membership for 2018/2019 season. This competition is open to Members and social members. (Bowls Shirt to be worn)

Cost to enter \$10.00 per player.

For further information on this event and any other activities at the Club please contact the Bowling Club on (02) 6779 1499 during working hours.

The Bowls Bandit.



Gazette Footy Tipping

Moose Knuckle	22	Hazel	14
Jy Starr	18	Darcey Heagney	14
Shelby Heagney	18	Nightwatchman	14
Bulldog	16	Chris Morley	12
Turkey Girl	16	Rooster Rascal	12
Red Devils	16	Men's Shed	10
Uncle Grandpar	16	Elva Brazier	10
Bookworm	14	Wanwan	10
The Shadow	14	Eel-be-Right	8
Mailman	14		

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Friday night football comes to Guyra

Friday night football comes to Guyra this week when the Super Spuds tackle the old enemy in the Potato-Pie Challenge.

The Spuds and Spudettes make their return to the field against Armidale from 6.30pm at the Sports Complex and hope a big home crowd will turn out in support.

Both teams have been training for about six weeks but have not been tested on the field yet in 2018, while the Rams are coming off trial games against Bendemeer last weekend.

This contest will be Guyra's only pre-season game before heading to Ten-terfield for the opening round of the Group 19 Second Division season in two weeks.

The next opportunity to see the Spuds at home will be on April 13 when Uralla comes to town.



Sophie Gaukroger passes the ball at training in preparation for the first game of the season
Photo Grant Robertson

This Thursday night's training run will be the last chance to prepare for the challenge and any player who is not yet registered with the club will need to at-

tend and complete this process.

Friday's action kicks off with the leaguetag at 6.30pm and concludes with the men's game at about 7.30pm.

There will be a barbecue and the canteen will be open.

Go to the club's Facebook page for all the Super Spuds' news.?

Numbers looking good for juniors

The 2018 Junior Rugby League season has kicked off with Guyra hosting Moree in the first round of games played on the weekend. Numbers are looking good, particularly from the girls with the club fielding two League Tag teams this year.

The under 8s played two games with the scores 52-28 and 32-20 in favour of Moree in both games. Coached by Linley Ryan this team was full of enthusiasm and had lots of fun and will be sure to improve.

Mick Wilson has charge of a new look under 10s team with most of the side stepping up from the under 8s last year. They were up against a much larger Moree side and went down 28-8.

The under 12s came out on top scoring 50 points to Moree's 6. They had an amazing game and if they



Junior League Tag - Shelby Heagney playing the ball with Lucy Ward, Matilda Atkin, Kayden Mulligan, Shantaye Irving Frost & Kate Ward
Photo Anna Heagney

keep playing like they did through this week they will go a long way. Tries were

scored by Oscar Atkin, Harrison Brazier and Wahkeem Patterson. Conversions went

to Cooper Wilson, Archie Dowden, Riley Campbell, Max Blyton, Cooper Brennan and Brodie Campbell.

There are lots of new faces in the Junior League Tag team with coach Steve Wilson proud of the effort by the team, despite losing 28-20. All the girls had a fantastic game with tries scored by Matilda Atkin, Shantaye Irving Frost and Kate Ward.

The Intermediate League Tag team had a good win in their first outing defeating Moree 28-20. Tara Mendes is coaching these girls and knows how to get the best out of her players.

Try scorers were Myah Wilson, Masie Moran, Ellie Mitchell and Tashae Irving-Frost.

This weekend the action moves to Uralla and game times will be up on the Facebook when they are known.

Gazette Sport

Golfing champs

Saturday saw the Guyra Smash Repair sponsored round three of the championships played.

Jake Ellis won with Mal Gaukroger runner up, nearest to the pins went to B Constance on the 7th, A Brennan on the 10th and R Burey on the 18th.

The last round sponsored by Kirk's IGA was won by Len Stanley with Matt Lyes runner up. Nearest to the pins were D Hill on the 7th, M Gaukroger on the 10th and P Grills on the 18th.

Club champions are Adam Brennan in A Grade with D Hill runner up, Jake Ellis is the Nett winner. The B Grade champion is Steve

Wilson with B Constance runner up and Pat Grills the Nett winner. The C Grade went to Roger Grills.

The midweek competition winds up this week. Last week's results had the Western Workers in front with 66 points with Phil Church managing an impressive 21 points.

This week will be the Top of the Range Golf carnival over three days. Steve Bishop's golf shop will be at the club Friday Saturday and Sunday. He will be available for private lessons and is running a free junior clinic on Sunday morning.

The Albatross



Nett Winners

(above)

Pat Grills and Jake Ellis

Club Champions

(left)

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Steve Wilson B Grade

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